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SUBJECT: NEW ZEALAND PARTICIPATION IN EXERCISE CYBER  
STORM

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1. Pol-Econ Counselor delivered reftel invitation to participate in the U.S. National Cyber Exercise CYBER STORM to New Zealand official Chris Roberts at the Center for Critical Infrastructure Protection (CCIP) in Wellington. Invitation was sent on April 11, 2005.

2. The following response was received at the Embassy on August 2, 2005 from Glen Singleton, Director, Information Systems Security, CCIP.

Begin text:

"Dear Katherine

Thank you kindly for the invitation to participate in the United States National Cyber Exercise, Cyber Storm, from the National Cyber Security Division of the Department of Homeland Security. Please accept our apologies for the delayed reply, which was due to an internal management change. We have contacted Bridgette Spencer, the NCSD Exercise Program Co-ordinator to accept the invitation. We look forward to hearing more details as they become available.

Yours sincerely,

Glen Singleton  
Director, Information Systems Security"

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